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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Examiner: Lacyk, J. P.

Dr. Vernon Wen-Hau Lin, M.D.

Art Unit: 3736

Serial No. 08/326,853

Filed: June 7, 1999

Title: Treatment of Excretory Problems

Petition to Revive an Unavoidably Abandoned Application

Dear Sir:

1. The undersigned is the attorney of record in above entitled patent application.
2. That the undersigned responded on October 11, 2000 to an Official Action dated July 13, 2000.
3. That the undersigned did not observe that the second page of the Official Action dated July 13, 2000 was not present (the third page was apparently a complete copy of the Official Action).
4. That the statutory period for response to the Official Action dated July 13, 2000 expired January 13, 2001.
5. That Examiner Lacyk mailed a PTOL 327 form dated January 17, 2001 to the undersigned setting a one-month period to respond.
6. That the undersigned attempted to make telephone contact with Examiner Lacyk on February 15, 2001 (within the period for Response) to determine why the October 11, 2000 response was not complete.

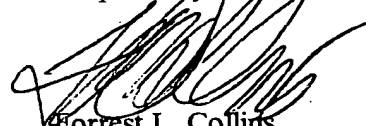
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7. That Examiner Lacyk was on leave on February 15, 2001 through the President's Day holiday.
8. That the undersigned and Examiner Lacyk spoke on February 26, 2001 at which time the undersigned learned of the existence of the second page of Official Action of July 13, 2000.
9. That the undersigned was not able to complete the response to the Official Action of July 13, 2000 within the period set as the undersigned could not determine what was missing from the response to the Official Action.
10. That the undersigned is filing with this petition the response to the portion of the July 13, 2000 Official Action which was not previously made.
11. That this application was filed after June 8, 1995 and therefore no terminal disclaimer is required.
12. That the statutory fee for revival of an unavoidably abandoned application is authorized and attached.
13. That the undersigned asserts the abandonment of the application was unavoidable.

Should there be any questions concerning this application they may be directed to the applicant's attorney at the number below.

Respectfully submitted



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